

Seaforth Highlanders (Ross-shire Buffs, the Duke of Albany's), Second Lieutenant A. J. McNeill to be Lieutenant, vice W. S. Ollivant, deceased. Dated 22nd August, 1897.

The Rifle Brigade (the Prince Consort's Own), The undermentioned Lieutenants to be Captains:—

George H. Thesiger, Adjutant, in succession to Major L. L. Nicol, Adjutant 7th Battalion. Dated 28th July, 1897.

Reginald B. Stephens, to complete establishment. Dated 28th July, 1897.

Charles W. C. Knox, in succession to Major C. à Court, appointed to the Staff. Dated 13th August, 1897.

The West India Regiment, Captain Edward S. C. Kennedy to be Adjutant, on augmentation. Dated 1st October, 1897.

Regimental Sergeant-Major George Wallace to be Quartermaster, with the honorary rank of Lieutenant, on augmentation. Dated 1st October, 1897.

Army Service Corps, Lieutenant-Colonel Alfred Ely is placed on retired pay. Dated 10th September, 1897.

Unattached List, Gentleman Cadet George Benson Brown, from the Royal Military College, Kingston, Canada, to be Second Lieutenant, with a view to his appointment to the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 15th September, 1897.

Staff, Colonel R. H. Jelf, from Lieutenant-Colonel half-pay Royal Engineers, to be a Colonel on the Staff for Royal Engineers, and to have the substantive rank of Colonel in the Army, vice Colonel H. J. W. Gehle, retired. Dated 3rd September, 1897.

Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel E. A. H. Alderson, the Queen's Own (Royal West Kent Regiment), to be a Deputy-Assistant Adjutant-General, vice Brevet Colonel the Honourable F. W. Stopford, whose period of service in that appointment has expired. Dated 1st September, 1897.

Captain the Honourable H. A. Lawrence, 17th Lancers, to be a Staff Captain at Head-Quarters, vice Captain H. H. Wilson, the Rifle Brigade (the Prince Consort's Own). Dated 1st September, 1897.

Captain D. J. Hamilton, the Royal Fusiliers (City of London Regiment), to be a Recruiting Staff Officer (Class II), in succession to Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel J. S. Tupper, placed on half-pay. Dated 1st September, 1897.

Captain H. H. Wilson, the Rifle Brigade (the Prince Consort's Own), to be a Brigade Major, vice Captain J. S. Cowans, the Rifle Brigade (the Prince Consort's Own), whose period of service in that appointment has expired. Dated 1st September, 1897.

Army Medical Staff, Surgeon-Lieutenant-Colonel Aylmer E. Hayes, D.S.O., retires on retired pay. Dated 15th September, 1897.

Surgeon-Major Robert C. Gunning to be Surgeon-Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 4th August, 1897.

Surgeon-Major Walter C. Beevor, M.B., from Grenadier Guards, to be Surgeon-Major, vice C. R. Kilkelly, M.B., who exchanges. Dated 15th September, 1897.

Army Pay Department, Captain A. K. Gillespie, from the Army Service Corps, having resigned his Combatant Commission, to be Paymaster with the honorary rank of Captain. Dated 1st April, 1896.

Half-Pay, Major (temporary Lieutenant-Colonel) Wallscourt H.-H. Waters, M.V.O., from Royal Artillery, Military Attaché, St. Petersburg, to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 15th September 1897.

Captain and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel John G. Maxwell, D.S.O., from the Black Watch (Royal Highlanders), to be Major. Dated 15th September, 1897.

BREVET.

The undermentioned Officers to be Colonels:— Lieutenant-Colonel Jasper S. Tupper, half-pay. Dated 31st August, 1897.

Lieutenant-Colonel John A. Fergusson, Professor of Tactics, Military Administration, and Law, Royal Military College. Dated 1st September, 1897.

INDIAN STAFF CORPS.

Colonel Edward Gordon Lillingston is transferred to the Unemployed Supernumerary List. Dated 30th August, 1897.

MEMORANDA.

Colonel Robert McGregor Stewart, C.B., Royal Artillery, to be Major-General, vice A. D. Anderson, Royal (late Bengal) Artillery, retired. Dated 20th July, 1897.

Colonel Harry C. Fox retires on an Indian pension. Dated 29th July, 1897.

Lieutenant-Colonel C. Crutchley, from half-pay, is continued in the appointment of Deputy-Assistant Adjutant-General for Recruiting at Head-Quarters. Dated 8th September, 1897.

ARMY MEDICAL RESERVE OF OFFICERS.

Surgeon-Major John J. A. V. C. Raye resigns his Commission. Dated 15th September, 1897. The undermentioned Officers having resigned their Volunteer appointments cease to belong to the Army Medical Reserve of Officers. Dated 15th September, 1897:—

Surgeon-Lieutenant H. W. Joyce.

Surgeon-Lieutenant W. A. Wetwan.

War Office, 14th September, 1897.

MILITIA.

ROYAL ARTILLERY.

The Antrim Artillery (Southern Division), Lionel Douglas Vernon, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 15th September, 1897.

The West of Scotland Artillery (Southern Division), Stanley Bartlett, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 15th September, 1897.

The Devon Artillery (Western Division), Oswald Locke Swayne, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 15th September, 1897.

INFANTRY.

3rd Battalion, the Northumberland Fusiliers, The undermentioned Gentlemen to be Second Lieutenants:—

Lisle Blenkinsopp Coulson. Dated 15th September, 1897.

The Honourable Eustace Scott Hamilton-Russell. Dated 15th September, 1897.

4th Battalion, the Royal Fusiliers (City of London Regiment), Major C. L. Griesbach, C.I.E., is granted the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 15th September, 1897.

Second Lieutenant T. G. Gibson to be Lieutenant. Dated 15th September, 1897.